

**ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
Meeting of Tuesday, 07 December 2010  
Mansfield Community Center (MCC) Conference Room

**MINUTES**

**1.** The meeting was **called to order** at 7:08p by Kim Bova. *Members present:* Kim Bova, Scott Lehmann, Blanche Serban. *Members absent:* Jay Ames, Tom Bruhn, Kelly Kochis. *Others present:* Jay O’Keefe (staff).

**2.** The **minutes** of the 09 November 2010 meeting were approved as written.

**3. 1% for Art Program.** Jay O’K has asked Cynthia van Zelm to look into whether any part of the Storrs Center Project qualifies for the state’s “1% for Art” program, which allows the State Bonding Commission to allocate for the purchase of art 1% of the construction cost of certain state buildings (CGS §4b-53(b)). Perhaps the parking garage would qualify?

**4. MCC exhibits.**

- a. Jay O’K has e-mailed **Helen Dewey** to ask if she is still interested in exhibiting watercolors; if so, she will need to submit photos of her works.
- b. Scott has received no reply from **Reneé Raucci** concerning her proposed exhibit; Blanche will try to contact her by phone.
- c. Kim has spoken with E. O. Smith student **Casey Stone-Pirrie** about exhibiting sculpture in the display cases in the winter quarter. She reported that he was enthusiastic about organizing a show of works by students in his A.P. art class.
- d. Blanche went to some of the Artists’ Open Studios and suggested exhibiting at the MCC to some artists. She will follow up by sending exhibit application forms to them.
- e. **Martin Calverly** will supply photos of his winter-quarter exhibit for approval at the 04 Jan 11 meeting.
- f. Jay O’K reported that **replacing cracked shelves and door** in the right-hand display case will cost \$900. He hopes this can be done before the next exhibit goes in.

Exhibit Period	Entry cases		Sitting room		Hallway	
	Double-sided	Shelves	Upper (5)	Lower (3)	Long (5)	Short (2)
15 Oct – 14 Jan	Michael Allison (colored wooden bowls)			DCF Heart Exhibit 10/1 – 12/31 (photos of children needing adoption)		
15 Jan – 14 Apr			Renee Raucci? (watercolors)	Martin Calverly (New England photos)		
15 Apr –31 May	Mansfield School Art?					
01 Jun – 15 Aug			Renee Raucci? (watercolors)			

**5. Downtown Partnership.** Kim reported that the Festival on the Green Art Show was a great success, eliciting many positive comments. The Festival organizers plan to include it in next year’s event.

**6. Adjourned** at 7:33p. Next meeting: 7:00p, Tuesday, 04 January 2011.

Scott Lehmann, Secretary, 10 December 2010; approved 04 January 2011.